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Applicant: W. McKinzie

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For: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR  
BLOCKING MICROWAVE  
PROPAGATION IN PARALLEL PLATE  
STRUCTURES

Art Unit: 2817

Examiner: Seungsook Ham

## CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence and the attached papers are being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail on the date indicated below and are addressed to:

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## TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

1. Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified patent application is a Response to Office Action and Request for Reconsideration. Also enclosed are:  
 Return Postcard  
 Replacement Drawing Sheets  
 Item b
2. Fee Calculation  
 No additional claim fee is required.  
 Amendment increases number of claims

## ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE CALCULATION

	Claims After Amendment Less Number Previously Paid For =	Number Extra*	Rate =	Fee
Total Claims	48 - 52 =	0	x \$ 50/25 =	\$ .00
Independent Claims	8 - 4 =	4	x \$200/100 =	\$400.00

\* If less than zero, enter "0".

Additional Claim Fee ..... \$400.00

3.  Applicant is a small entity.
4.  Applicant hereby petitions for an Extension of Time of one month, pursuant to Rule 1.136(a). Fee required \$ ..... \$60.00
5.  Other fees due: Specify: ..... \$0.00  
Total Fees Due ..... \$460.00
6. Payment of Fees  
 A check in the amount of \$0.00 is enclosed.  
 Charge Deposit Account No. 50-1213 in the amount of \$460.00. A duplicate of this sheet is attached.
7.  The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees (or credit any overpayment) associated with this communication and which may be required under 37 CFR § 1.16 or § 1.17 to Account No. 50-1213, referencing Docket No. 42372-0004. A duplicate of this sheet is attached.

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